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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a residential customer who uses one of AT&T's competitive providers: Sonic.net. They do not cheat me by over-charging for so-so broadband performance and telephone service as AT&T did for years. They bundle phone and DSL at a very attractive price and I get better performance than I did with AT&T. I am retired and on a fixed income and very much appreciate the existence of providers such as Sonic .net.

Thank you.

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